



# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Senate Journal

## Ninety–Ninth Regular Session

11:10 A.M.

THURSDAY, January 28, 2010

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by President Risser.

### CALL OF ROLL

The roll was called, disclosing the presence of a quorum.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 15, the official attendance for session was:

Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Cowles, Darling, Decker, Ellis, Erpenbach, S. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Hansen, Harsdorf, Holperin, Hopper, Jauch, Kanavas, Kapanke, Kedzie, Kreitlow, A. Lasee, Lassa, Lazich, Lehman, Leibham, Miller, Olsen, Plale, Risser, Robson, Schultz, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 33.

Absent – None.

Absent with leave – None.

The Senate stood for the prayer which was offered by Wendy Cooper, the Social Justice Coordinator at the First Unitarian Society in Madison.

“Let us pray together.

God, spirit of life and love, we are thankful for the many blessings of our lives even as we experience sorrow and sadness for the many in our state, and in the world who are suffering today. May we find a way to ease that suffering, and to bring mercy and justice to the world.

We are thankful for the women and men gathered in this room who have left behind private lives in order to work for the common good of us all. May wisdom and compassion guide them as they do their work today. Help them to remember that more binds us than separates us. Please, do not let their hearts be hardened, but soften them. Keep in their minds and hearts the people of this state whose families have lived here for generations, and those who have just arrived seeking a new life. Let them embrace their responsibility to all the people.

Many challenges face us – we are at war, and many young men and women are losing their lives; there is uncertainty in the lives of so many people and they are afraid. The earth itself feels the burden of our demands. We pray that these leaders will be filled with courage and conviction today. The cries of so many people reach their ears – may they hear them.

The poor are at our doorstep. The sick need our care. The hungry still suffer the gnawing pain of emptiness. Help us remember to care first for the most vulnerable. Fill this chamber with the spirit of compassion today and each day. May these leaders shoulder their responsibilities to the people of this state with dignity, hearing the call for justice, and mercy.

Amen.”

The Senate remained standing and Senator Miller led the Senate in the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

### CHIEF CLERK’S ENTRIES

#### AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 415** offered by Senator Hansen.

### REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Public Health, Senior Issues, Long Term Care, and Job Creation** reports and recommends:–

**SURPRISE, JAMES**, of Wautoma, as a member of the Board on Aging and Long Term Care, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2013.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Vinehout, Schultz and Kapanke.

Noes, 0 – None.

*TIM CARPENTER*

Chairperson

### PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Kapanke added as a cosponsor of **Assembly Bill 236**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Miller added as a coauthor of **Senate Bill 383**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Miller added as a coauthor of **Senate Bill 415**.

### MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY

#### **Senate Bill 191**

Relating to: podiatrist–patient privilege, immunity exemption for podiatrists providing emergency care at athletic events, allowing podiatrists to determine an illness or injury and complete forms for the purpose of granting assistance to needy veterans, allowing podiatrists to determine disability for the purpose of issuing certain hunting permits, cooperatives organized to provide sickness care, the Podiatrists Affiliated Credentialing Board, allowing podiatrists to certify driver school instructors’ physical fitness, allowing Medical

Assistance recipients to freely choose among podiatrists, and giving equal weight to certifications of disability by podiatrists for insurance purposes.

The question was: Shall Assembly amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 191** be concurred in?

Concurred in.

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## SECOND READING AND AMENDMENTS OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS AND SENATE BILLS

### Senate Bill 146

Relating to: providing benefits and protections to tribal schools and tribal school pupils and staff similar to those provided to private schools and private school pupils and staff and making an appropriation.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

### Senate Bill 146

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 33; noes, 0; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes – Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Cowles, Darling, Decker, Ellis, Erpenbach, S. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Hansen, Harsdorf, Holperin, Hopper, Jauch, Kanavas, Kapanke, Kedzie, Kreitlow, A. Lasee, Lassa, Lazich, Lehman, Leibham, Miller, Olsen, Plale, Risser, Robson, Schultz, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 33.

Noes – None.

Absent or not voting – None.

Passed.

### Senate Bill 263

Relating to: criteria for determining indigency for purposes of representation by the State Public Defender and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 263**?

Adopted.

The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 263**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Hansen, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

### Senate Bill 263

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 21; noes, 12; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes – Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Decker, Erpenbach, Hansen, Holperin, Hopper, Jauch, Kreitlow, Lassa, Lehman, Miller, Olsen, Plale, Risser, Robson, Schultz, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 21.

Noes – Senators Cowles, Darling, Ellis, S. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Harsdorf, Kanavas, Kapanke, Kedzie, A. Lasee, Lazich and Leibham – 12.

Absent or not voting – None.

Passed.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that all action be immediately message to the Assembly:

### Senate Bill 146

### Senate Bill 263

Messaged.

### Senate Bill 191

Action Messaged.

### Senate Bill 303

Relating to: requesting a person who operates a vehicle that is involved in an accident that causes death or injury to submit to a test for intoxication.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 303**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

### Senate Bill 303

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 33; noes, 0; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes – Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Cowles, Darling, Decker, Ellis, Erpenbach, S. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Hansen, Harsdorf, Holperin, Hopper, Jauch, Kanavas, Kapanke, Kedzie, Kreitlow, A. Lasee, Lassa, Lazich, Lehman, Leibham, Miller, Olsen, Plale, Risser, Robson, Schultz, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 33.

Noes – None.

Absent or not voting – None.

Passed.

### Senate Bill 362

Relating to: health insurance coverage of nervous and mental disorders, alcoholism, and other drug abuse problems.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate substitute amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 362**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

### Senate Bill 362

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 20; noes, 13; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes – Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Darling, Decker, Erpenbach, Hansen, Holperin, Jauch, Kapanke, Kreitlow, Lassa, Lehman, Miller, Plale, Risser, Robson, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 20.

Noes – Senators Cowles, Ellis, S. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Harsdorf, Hopper, Kanavas, Kedzie, A. Lasee, Lazich, Leibham, Olsen and Schultz – 13.

Absent or not voting – None.

Passed.

### **Senate Bill 383**

Relating to: municipal court elections, judges, and procedure, and providing penalties.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 1 to Senate amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 383**?

Adopted.

The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 383**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

### **Senate Bill 383**

Read a third time and passed.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that all action be immediately message to the Assembly:

### **Senate Bill 303**

### **Senate Bill 362**

### **Senate Bill 383**

Messaged.

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## **IN THE CHAIR**

Pursuant to Senate Rule 2 (1), Senate President Pro Tempore Kreitlow in the chair.

### **Senate Bill 415**

Relating to: requiring carbon monoxide detectors in buildings containing one or two dwelling units.

Read a second time.

Senator Hansen, with unanimous consent, asked that Senate amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 415** be laid on the table.

The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 415**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

### **Senate Bill 415**

Read a third time and passed.

### **Senate Bill 440**

Relating to: waiving certain federal bond limitations allocated to cities and counties and requiring the Department of Commerce to develop a system for reallocating the bond limitations to other state and local units of government.

Read a second time.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that **Senate Bill 440** be placed after **Assembly Bill 456** on today's calendar.

### **Senate Bill 498**

Relating to: technical changes to [2009 Wisconsin Act 100](#).

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

### **Senate Bill 498**

Read a third time and passed.

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## **SECOND READING AND AMENDMENTS OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTIONS AND ASSEMBLY BILLS**

### **Assembly Bill 47**

Relating to: prohibiting persons convicted of certain felonies from providing martial arts instruction to minors.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 47**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

### **Assembly Bill 47**

Read a third time and concurred in as amended.

### **Assembly Bill 236**

Relating to: requiring that certain high school agriculture courses be counted as science credits.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

### **Assembly Bill 236**

Read a third time and concurred in.

### **Assembly Bill 456**

Relating to: self-authentication by electronic certification of certain Department of Transportation records.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

### **Assembly Bill 456**

Read a third time and concurred in.

## MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY

By Patrick E. Fuller, chief clerk.

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the Assembly has adopted and asks concurrence in:

**Assembly Joint Resolution 100**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 103**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 106**

Concurred in:

**Senate Joint Resolution 56**

## MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY CONSIDERED

### Assembly Joint Resolution 100

Relating to: congratulating the Boy Scouts of America on its 100th anniversary.

By Representatives Townsend, Berceau, Bernard Schaber, Brooks, Clark, Gottlieb, Gunderson, Hebl, Hraychuck, Jorgensen, Kaufert, Kerkman, Knodl, LeMahieu, Lothian, Newcomer, A. Ott, J. Ott, Petrowski, Pridemore, Ripp, Roth, Seidel, Spanbauer, Staskunas, Strachota, Suder, Tauchen, Van Roy, Vos and Ziegelbauer; cosponsored by Senators Leibham, Hopper, Cowles, Darling, Hansen, Harsdorf, Holperin, Kedzie, Kreitlow, A. Lasee, Lazich, Lehman, Olsen, Plale, Risser, Schultz, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch.

Read and referred to committee on **Senate Organization**.

### Assembly Joint Resolution 103

Relating to: recognizing February 2010 as American Heart Month.

By Representatives Zigmunt, Ballweg, Benedict, Berceau, Bernard Schaber, Cullen, Fields, Gunderson, Hebl, Hintz, Hixson, Jorgensen, Kaufert, Molepske Jr., A. Ott, Pasch, Pope-Roberts, Pridemore, Seidel, Shilling, Soletski, Townsend, Turner, Vruwink and Ziegelbauer; cosponsored by Senators Hansen, Darling, Erpenbach, Lazich, Lehman, Risser, Taylor and Wirch.

Read and referred to committee on **Senate Organization**.

### Assembly Joint Resolution 106

Relating to: proclaiming February 5, 2010, as Go Red for Women Day.

By Representatives Vruwink, Berceau, Pasch, Kerkman, Hraychuck, Hebl, Sinicki, Zepnick, Molepske Jr., Cullen, Zigmunt, Mason, Shilling, Townsend, Jorgensen, Benedict, Turner, Ripp, Ballweg, Pocan and Toles; cosponsored by Senators Lehman, Taylor, Cowles, Darling, Lazich and Coggs.

Read and referred to committee on **Senate Organization**.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that **Assembly Joint Resolutions 100, 103, and 106** be withdrawn from the committee on **Senate Organization** and taken up at this time.

### Assembly Joint Resolution 100

Relating to: congratulating the Boy Scouts of America on its 100th anniversary.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Joint Resolution 100** be concurred in?

Concurred in.

### Assembly Joint Resolution 103

Relating to: recognizing February 2010 as American Heart Month.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Joint Resolution 103** be concurred in?

Concurred in.

### Assembly Joint Resolution 106

Relating to: proclaiming February 5, 2010, as Go Red for Women Day.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Joint Resolution 106** be concurred in?

Concurred in.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that all action be immediately message to the Assembly:

**Senate Bill 415**

**Senate Bill 498**

**Assembly Bill 47**

**Assembly Bill 236**

**Assembly Bill 456**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 100**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 103**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 106**

Messaged.

### Senate Bill 440

Relating to: waiving certain federal bond limitations allocated to cities and counties and requiring the Department of Commerce to develop a system for reallocating the bond limitations to other state and local units of government.

The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 1 to Senate amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 440**?

Adopted.

Senate amendment 2 to Senate amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 440** offered by Senators Lassa and Miller.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that **Senate Bill 440** be placed at the foot of today's calendar.

### Assembly Bill 458

Relating to: providing instruction in human growth and development.

Read a second time.

Senate amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 458** offered by Senators Grothman and Taylor.

The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 458**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 33; noes, 0; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes – Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Cowles, Darling, Decker, Ellis, Erpenbach, S. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Hansen, Harsdorf, Holperin, Hopper, Jauch, Kanavas, Kapanke, Kedzie, Kreitlow, A. Lasee, Lassa, Lazich, Lehman, Leibham, Miller, Olsen, Plale, Risser, Robson, Schultz, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 33.

Noes – None.

Absent or not voting – None.

Adopted.

Senate amendment 2 to **Assembly Bill 458** offered by Senator Olsen.

Senator Taylor moved rejection of Senate amendment 2 to **Assembly Bill 458**.

The question was: Rejection of Senate amendment 2 to **Assembly Bill 458**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 18; noes, 15; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes – Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Decker, Erpenbach, Hansen, Holperin, Jauch, Kreitlow, Lassa, Lehman, Miller, Plale, Risser, Robson, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 18.

Noes – Senators Cowles, Darling, Ellis, S. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Harsdorf, Hopper, Kanavas, Kapanke, Kedzie, A. Lasee, Lazich, Leibham, Olsen and Schultz – 15.

Absent or not voting – None.

Rejected.

Senate amendment 3 to **Assembly Bill 458** offered by Senators Grothman and Lazich.

Senator Taylor moved rejection of Senate amendment 3 to **Assembly Bill 458**.

The question was: Rejection of Senate amendment 3 to **Assembly Bill 458**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 18; noes, 15; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes – Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Decker, Erpenbach, Hansen, Holperin, Jauch, Kreitlow, Lassa, Lehman, Miller, Plale, Risser, Robson, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 18.

Noes – Senators Cowles, Darling, Ellis, S. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Harsdorf, Hopper, Kanavas, Kapanke, Kedzie, A. Lasee, Lazich, Leibham, Olsen and Schultz – 15.

Absent or not voting – None.

Rejected.

Senate amendment 4 to **Assembly Bill 458** offered by Senators Hopper, Lazich, Darling, Grothman and Olsen.

Senator Taylor moved rejection of Senate amendment 4 to **Assembly Bill 458**.

The question was: Rejection of Senate amendment 4 to **Assembly Bill 458**?

Rejected.

Senate amendment 5 to **Assembly Bill 458** offered by Senators Lazich and Grothman.

Senator Taylor moved rejection of Senate amendment 5 to **Assembly Bill 458**.

The question was: Rejection of Senate amendment 5 to **Assembly Bill 458**?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 18; noes, 15; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes – Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Decker, Erpenbach, Hansen, Holperin, Jauch, Kreitlow, Lassa, Lehman, Miller, Plale, Risser, Robson, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 18.

Noes – Senators Cowles, Darling, Ellis, S. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Harsdorf, Hopper, Kanavas, Kapanke, Kedzie, A. Lasee, Lazich, Leibham, Olsen and Schultz – 15.

Absent or not voting – None.

Rejected.

Senate amendment 6 to **Assembly Bill 458** offered by Senators Leibham, Lazich, Kapanke, Kanavas, Grothman, S. Fitzgerald, A. Lasee, Cowles and Kedzie.

Senator Taylor moved rejection of Senate amendment 6 to **Assembly Bill 458**.

The question was: Rejection of Senate amendment 6 to **Assembly Bill 458**?

Rejected.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

### **Assembly Bill 458**

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 18; noes, 15; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes – Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Decker, Erpenbach, Hansen, Holperin, Jauch, Kreitlow, Lassa, Lehman, Miller, Plale, Risser, Robson, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 18.

Noes – Senators Cowles, Darling, Ellis, S. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Harsdorf, Hopper, Kanavas, Kapanke, Kedzie, A. Lasee, Lazich, Leibham, Olsen and Schultz – 15.

Absent or not voting – None.

Concurred in as amended.

### **Senate Bill 440**

Relating to: waiving certain federal bond limitations allocated to cities and counties and requiring the Department of Commerce to develop a system for reallocating the bond limitations to other state and local units of government.

The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 2 to Senate amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 440**?

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate recess until the call of the Chair.

1:44 P.M.

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## **RECESS**

2:53 P.M.

The Senate reconvened.

President Risser in the chair.

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The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 2 to Senate amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 440**?

Adopted.

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Adopted.

Senate amendment 3 to **Senate Bill 440** offered by Senators Erpenbach and Risser.

Senator Erpenbach, with unanimous consent, asked that Senate amendment 3 to **Senate Bill 440** be withdrawn and returned to author.

Senate amendment 4 to **Senate Bill 440** offered by Senators Lassa and Miller.

Senator Lassa, with unanimous consent, asked that Senate amendment 4 to **Senate Bill 440** be withdrawn and returned to author.

Senate amendment 5 to **Senate Bill 440** offered by Senators Lassa and Miller.

The question was: Adoption of Senate amendment 5 to **Senate Bill 440**?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

**Senate Bill 440**

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 32; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 0; as follows:

Ayes – Senators Carpenter, Coggs, Darling, Decker, Ellis, Erpenbach, S. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Hansen, Harsdorf, Holperin, Hopper, Jauch, Kanavas, Kapanke, Kedzie, Kreitlow, A. Lasee, Lassa, Lazich, Lehman, Leibham, Miller, Olsen, Plale, Risser, Robson, Schultz, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout and Wirch – 32.

Noes – Senator Cowles – 1.

Absent or not voting – None.

Passed.

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that all action be immediately message to the Assembly:

**Senate Bill 440**

**Assembly Bill 458**

Messaged.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS, ADJOURNMENT HONORS,  
AND REMARKS UNDER SPECIAL PRIVILEGE**

Senator Wirch, with unanimous consent, asked that when the Senate adjourn, it do so in honor of ULine Corporation.

Senator Lazich, with unanimous consent, asked that when the Senate adjourn, it do so in honor of Rich Kuchenbecker. Rich began employment with the Village of East Troy Police Department during January 1974, and served as patrolman, Sergeant, Lieutenant, and Deputy Chief prior to retirement. He served the community in numerous positions including Chairman of the Walworth County Housing Authority since 1987, assisting in the establishment of Twin Oaks homeless

shelter, and serving as County Board Liaison, Secretary, and Treasurer for the Walworth County Crime Stoppers Board.

Senator Taylor, with unanimous consent, asked that when the Senate adjourn, it do so in honor of her colleagues and staff members on the Senate Select Committee on Clean Energy. Yesterday, the Senator from the 7th and the Senator from the 16th chaired the second hearing of the committee, for over 9 hours, as they worked on the Clean Energy Jobs Act. Not only did the co-chairs stay for 9 hours, their staffs did as well. The Senator hopes that we would honor committee clerks Summer Shannon–Bradley and Beth Beir, and Legislative Council staff John Stolzenberg and David Lovell. In addition, we must honor the sergeant staff person, Dan Hansfield, who stayed through the course of that hearing. As this committee works through one of the largest and most important bills of this session, second only to the budget, Senator Taylor hopes that we would adjourn in their honor.

Senator Grothman, with unanimous consent, asked that when the Senate adjourn, it do so in honor of Tim McKee, whose bill, Senate Bill 303, was passed today in this body.

Senator Lassa, with unanimous consent, asked that when the Senate adjourn, it do so in honor of Danielle Wilson, Jamie Kuhn, and Liz Stephens for their work in the legislature, for the people of Wisconsin.

Senator Schultz, with unanimous consent, asked that when the Senate adjourn, it do so in honor of the ideal legislative staff person, Eileen Generose O’Neill Schoenfeldt. Eileen has been a wonderful friend and servant to the people of southwest Wisconsin for a decade, starting as an intern in the Senator’s office while she was a student at UW Madison. Eileen has been the most productive and organized staff person any legislator could ever hope to have on his or her team. Eileen and her husband Jeff Schoenfeldt are embarking on a year of traveling all seven continents. We can follow them vicariously through their regular entries on their travel website, [www.itsasmallworld.me](http://www.itsasmallworld.me). The people of southwest Wisconsin, her coworkers, and Senator Schultz will miss Eileen very much. Please join the Senator in giving Eileen and Jeff our best wishes in all their coming adventures.

Senator Sullivan, with unanimous consent, asked that when the Senate adjourn, it do so in honor of the great economic news for Wisconsin because of the passage Senate Bill 440 today, and also a great business constituent of Senator Sullivan, Quad Graphics, will be going public soon.

Senator Kapanke, with unanimous consent, asked that when the Senate adjourn, it do so in memory of Ben Larson, a 25 year–old LaCrosse area seminary student, who was doing missionary work in Haiti with his wife and cousin when the earthquake hit. He was loved by so many and will be missed.

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**ADJOURNMENT**

Senator Decker, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

3:36 P.M.

Adjourned.